Text Books published by Government.

52. *MR. KANNANTHODATH JANARDANAN NAIR : Will the Government be pleased to state :

(*a*) the number of text-books published by Government for the use of students ;

(*b*) the total cost the Government had to bear in publishing them ;

(*c*) the selling price for each copy of each book ;

(*d*) the total number of books sold ; and

(*e*) the amount of money realised thereby ?

MR. M. K. NILAKANTA AIYAR : It is not possible to furnish an answer to the question, as the period for which the information is required has not been specified by the member.

Permission to run a bus.

53. *MR. A. K. KUMARAN VAIDYAN (*Kunnatnad* cum *Parur*) : Will the Government be pleased to state whether it is permissible to run a bus after its 'G' permit has been forwarded to the Office of the Inspector General of Police and before it is returned ?

KHAN BAHADUR G. S. ABDUL KARIM SAHIB SUHRAWARDY : A bus will not be permitted to run after the 'G' permit has been sent to the Inspector General's Office for renewal after the due date.

MR. P. KUNJUKRISHNAN (*Quilon* cum *Kottarakara*) : Am I to understand from the answer given by the Inspector General of Police that if the 'G' Permit is sent before the due date, then the bus will be permitted to run ?

KHAN BAHADUR G. S. ABDUL KARIM SAHIB SUHRAWARDY : Yes, provided due proof is given that the application for the renewal was made in time.

Transfer of the Police Inspector, Quilon Town.

54. *MR. K. P. KOCHUKORA THARAKAN (*Kunnatnad* cum *Parur*) : Will the Government be pleased to state :

(*a*) whether the Town Police Inspector, Quilon, was transferred during Karkatakam 1114 ; and

(*b*) if so, the reason therefor ?

KHAN BAHADUR G. S. ABDUL KARIM SAHIB SUHRAWARDY : (*a*) Yes.

(*b*) In the exigencies of service.

MR. K. P. KOCHUKORA THARAKAN : കൊല്ലം ഇൻസ്പെക്ടരെ മാറ്റാനുണ്ടായ പ്രത്യേക കാരണം എന്താണെന്നു പറയാമോ ?

KHAN BAHADUR G. S. ABDUL KARIM SAHIB SUHRAWARDY : The reasons are confidential.

MR KANNANTHODATH JANARDANAN NAIR : May I know whether these officers get their T. A. for their transfers ?

KHAN BAHADUR G. S. ABDUL KARIM SAHIB SUHRAWARDY : Yes, if they are transferred in Government interest.

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MR. KANNANTHODATH JANARDANAN NAIR: May I know whether it is not a loss to Government to effect such frequent transfers?

KHAN BAHADUR G. S. ABDUL KARIM SAHIB SUHRAWARDY: Yes, it may be, but, if they are transferred at their request then they are not given T. A.

MR. K. P. KOCHUKORA THARAKAN: കൊല്ലം ഔട്ട്പോസ്റ്റിൽ പല അഴിമതികളും നടന്നു വരുന്നു എന്നുള്ള വിവരം അറിയാമോ ?

KHAN BAHADUR G. S. ABDUL KARIM SAHIB SUHRAWARDY: There was a tussle in the Police Station.

MR. P. NARAYANA PILLAI (*Mavelikara* cum *Kunnathur*): May I know whether any official enquiry was made?

KHAN BAHADUR G. S. ABDUL KARIM SAHIB SUHRAWARDY: Yes.

MR. P. NARAYANA PILLAI: May I know the result of the enquiry?

KHAN BAHADUR G. S. ABDUL KARIM SAHIB SUHRAWARDY: Disciplinary action was taken against those who were found fault.

House allowance to Rangers.

55. ❋ **MR. K. P. KOCHUKORA THARAKAN**: Will the Government be pleased to state whether house-allowance is being given to Rangers of the Forest Department?

MR. P. RAMAN PILALI (*Conservator of Forests*): No.

Boundaries of the Kottappara Reserve.

56. ❋ **MR. KOTTALIL P. ABRAHAM** (*Muvattupuzha* cum *Devicolam*): Will the Government be pleased to state:

(*a*) whether the boundaries of the Kottappara Reserve are finally fixed by the Government;

(*b*) whether such boundaries are settled at the spots by the Surveyors of the Forest Department or by the Surveyors of the Revenue Department or by both those Departments jointly; and

(*c*) whether for those boundaries different Surveyors have prepared sketches differing from one another?

MR. P. RAMAN PILLAI: (*a*) Yes.

(*b*) No: the boundaries are not settled by Surveyors.

(*c*) No.

MR. KOTTALIL P. ABRAHAM: May I know by whom the boundaries are settled?

MR. P. RAMAN PILLAI: The boundaries are settled by the Forest Settlement Officer.

Lepers treated in the Chirayinkil District Hospital.

57. ❋ **MR. VARKALA K. MADHAVAN** (*Chirayinkil* cum *Nedumangad*): Will the Government be pleased to state the number of lepers treated as out-patients in the Chirayinkil District Hospital in 1113 and 1114 respectively?

VAIDYASASTRAKUSALA DR. MRS. M. POONNEN LUKOSE:

In the year 1113—226, and

in the year 1114—194.

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